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**BY E-MAIL**

March 6, 2018

Ms. Julie E. Girvan  
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62 Hillsdale Avenue East  
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Dear Ms. Girvan:

**Re: EB-2017-0306 and EB-2017-0307  
Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc. and Union Gas Limited Amalgamation and  
Rate –setting Applications**

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) is in receipt of your letter dated March 5, 2018, on behalf of the Consumers Council of Canada (CCC), in which you assert that the current approved issues list only considers adjustments to 2019 rates that have been proposed by the applicants. CCC is of the view that the OEB should not restrict adjustments to base rates at this time, prior to a full discovery process.

The OEB notes that the applicants proposed specific adjustments to be included on the issues list and the OEB has included these adjustments. Other parties in their submissions did not propose any other adjustments. The OEB will not amend the issues list for some matter that has not been identified. However, should a specific adjustment to rates be identified through the discovery process in this proceeding, the applicants, intervenors and OEB staff may seek the OEB's consideration of including that matter on the issues list.

Yours truly,

*Original signed by*

John Pickernell  
Manager, Application Administration

c: all parties in EB-2017-0306 and EB-2017-0307